

of the County Commissioners, he shall be charged with the collection of the tax as heretofore. When probate is otherwise made, the Register shall collect and pay the same, less five per cent. commissions to the Sheriff, rendering a sworn statement of the number and character of the instruments admitted to registration and the taxes due thereon, which the Sheriff shall file with the Clerk of the County Commissioners, as directed by law.

Charters of incor-
porations.

SEC. 5. On every charter of incorporation of any company granted by the General Assembly other than those for charity, benevolence or literature, where the corporations had power to become incorporate under the provisions of chapter twenty-six, Revised Code, entitled "Corporations," and on any amendment of every such charter, whether originally granted by the General Assembly or secured by letters patent or otherwise, there shall be a tax of twenty-five dollars paid directly to the Public Treasurer. No company shall be organized under such special act of incorporation or derive benefit from any act to amend their charter, without at first obtaining a certified copy of such from the Secretary of State, which shall not be furnished until the Treasurer's receipt for the said tax shall be filed in the office of the said Secretary.

What tax laws re-
pealed.
Proviso.

SEC. 6. All laws imposing taxes, the subjects of which are revised in this act, are hereby repealed: *Provided*, That this repeal shall not extend to the provisions of any law, so far as they relate to the taxes listed, or which ought to have been listed, or which may be due previous to the ratification of this act.

SEC. 7. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 1st day of April, A. D. 1869.